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In re the Application of:

Seong Wook JEONG et al.

Serial No. 10/814,795

Group Art Unit: 3744

Confirmation No. 4962

Filed: April 1, 2004

Examiner: Harry B. Tanner

For: REFR

REFRIGERATOR AND CONTROL METHOD THEREOF

COMMUNICATION TO THE EXAMINER

TO CORRECT NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY DATA

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

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The above-identified patent application has been allowed. The Issue Fee has not been paid.

The Notice of Allowability mailed on October 25, 2005 fails to acknowledge the claim for foreign priority in the above-referenced application.

Attached hereto, is a copy of the Declaration that was filed in the application on August 2, 2004, indicating filing of a claim for foreign priority, and also a copy of the Submission of Certified Copy of Prior Foreign Application In Accordance with the Requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.55 indicating filing of a claim for foreign priority, along with a copy of the first page of the priority document, and a copy of the stamped postcard showing that a certified copy of foreign priority Application No. 2004-21495 was filed in the above-referenced application.

It is respectfully requested that the Examiner acknowledge filing the claim for foreign priority and the certified copy of the foreign application in the subject application by checking the appropriate boxes 3(a)(1) of the Notice of Allowability.

According to the foregoing, the Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to issue a Supplemental Notice of Allowability acknowledging the claim of foreign priority to Application No. 2004-21495 filed March 30, 2004.

Respectfully submitted,

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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe that I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

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the specification of which is attached hereto, unless the following box is checked:

was filed on April 1, 2004 as United States Application Number or PCT International Application Number 10/814,795 and was amended on (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56.

Additional inventors are being named on separately numbered sheets attached hereto.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefit(s) under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or § 365(a)-(c) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

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Prior Foreign Application(s)			Priority NOT Claimed
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I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 120 or § 119(e) of any United States application(s), or § 365(c) of any PCT International application designating the United States, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT International application(s) in the manner provided by the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. § 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 which became available between the filling date of the prior application and the national or PCT International filling date of this application.			
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I hereby appoint the attorneys and agents of Staas & Halsey LLP under USPTO Customer No. 21,171 to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith:			
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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.			
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APPLICATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF 37 C.F.R. § 1.55

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Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.55, the applicant(s) submit(s) herewith a certified copy of the following foreign application:

Korean Patent Application No(s). 2004-21495

Filed: March 30, 2004

It is respectfully requested that the applicant(s) be given the benefit of the foreign filing date(s) as evidenced by the certified papers attached hereto, in accordance with the requirements of 35 U.S.C. § 119.

Respectfully submitted,

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